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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 22, 2004, Applicants elect the claims of Group I, that is claims 1-7 drawn to methods of producing polyphosphazene microspheres, which the Examiner deems to relate to class 424, subclass 491.

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It is believed that no fee is due, however, if any fee is due it should be charged to

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